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CONDITIONING RESPECTIVE FREQUENCY BANDS OF AN AUDIO

SIGNAL

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents¹ P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

This Amendment and Response is in reply to an Office Action dated October 8, 2004. Reexamination and reconsideration of the application, as amended are requested. No fee is required by this Amendment and Response. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 501050.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR 1.8a)

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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